## PIP Item 1C.2.1 Develop regional mapping of available resources for in-home and out of home service planning.

The reasonable efforts work group along with the Prevention Branch developed the In-home Services Comparison Tool Chart. The chart contains the name of each service, the target population that it serves, the eligibility criteria to receive the service, the response times, the specific services that are provided, the length of time they provide the service, whether they provide follow up and what counties the services are available in. Chart is also instrumental in assisting the state with the identification of service gaps.

The chart will be used in future PIP items. Each region will use the chart to:

- 1. Engaging community partners using the chart to strategize and resolve service gaps.
- 2. Developing a regional resource coordination process to insure that the agency maximizes the use of available resources.
- 3. Assist staff with the case planning process as well as the reunification efforts by insuring that staff is aware of all of the resources that are available to families in their region.

The chart was sent to each staff via a PPIM. A copy of the chart, the PPIM and a county map has been provided.

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## PROTECTION AND PERMANENCY INFORMATION MEMORANDUM, PPIM 10-04

TO:

Service Region Administrators

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FROM:

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Division of Protection and Permanency

DATE:

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SUBJECT: Mapping of Resources for In-Home and Out-of-Home Service Planning

The purpose of this information memorandum is to notify staff of the attached <u>In-Home Services Comparison Tool</u> document, which is a resource guide for in-home and out-of-home services. This listing provides available agency resources for children and families for both in-home and out-of-home cases. It is recommended that this listing be made available to all staff and utilized to assist in prevention planning and reunification efforts.

The attached <u>In-Home Services</u>: <u>DCBS Referral & Selection Contacts</u> document is also available as a resource.

Questions related to these services can be directed to the providers and/or with the Prevention Branch staff in Central Office.

The In-Home Services Comparison Tool and In-Home Services: DCBS Referral & Selection Contacts are currently available on the Resources Page of the SOP Online Manuals website.

If you have any questions concerning this memorandum, please contact Lisa R. Smith at lisar.smith@ky.gov or at (502) 564-7536 ext. 4078.



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